



# Reference Materials for Transportation Coordination

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## Publications – Research, Studies, and Innovative Projects

Surface Transportation Policy Project (STPP) and AARP released a new report, "*Aging Americans: Stranded Without Options*," <http://www.transact.org/report.asp?id=232>

Iowa State University's Center for Transportation Research and Education report: "*Coordination of Transit and School Busing*" - Coordination saves Iowa taxpayers over \$1 million per year; 3/4/2004;  
[http://www.iatransit.com/news/coordination\\_final\\_report.pdf](http://www.iatransit.com/news/coordination_final_report.pdf)

Article by Jon Burkhardt and Adam McGavock in the CTAA Journal, Sept./Oct. 2002: "*Researching the Health Care Benefits of Medicare Transportation*;"  
<http://www.ctaa.org/ct/medical2002/research.asp>

"*Economic Benefits of Coordinating Human Service Transportation and Transit Services*", <http://www.house.gov/transportation/fullhearings/05-01/03/burkhardt.pdf>

Special report on Medicaid transportation and how it is delivered in different states – "*Assuring Access to Health Care*" <http://www.ctaa.org/ntrc/medical/report>

National Governor's Association report "*Improving Public Transportation through Effective Statewide Coordination*"  
<http://www.nga.org/cda/files/011503IMPROVINGTRANS.pdf>

The Oregon Transportation Initiative report to the Governor: "*State Agency Transportation Coordination Project – The Coordination Challenge*:"  
<http://www.odot.state.or.us/pubtrans/documents/CoordBook.pdf>

The Washington State Agency Council on Coordinated Transportation 2003 Report to the Legislature: [http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/acct/library/2003\\_ACCT\\_Report-screen.pdf](http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/acct/library/2003_ACCT_Report-screen.pdf)

September 2000 report: "*Coordinated Transportation Systems*" by John Burkhardt  
[http://research.aarp.org/consume/2000\\_16\\_transport.pdf](http://research.aarp.org/consume/2000_16_transport.pdf)

Montana State Manual on "*Improving Services through Coordination*":  
<http://coe.montana.edu/wti/trcoordn/index.php>

Surface Transportation Policy Report "*Transportation Costs and the American Dream*"  
<http://www.transact.org/library/americandreamdecoder.asp>

Technical assistance tool kit on Welfare to Work transportation: “*Linking People to the Workplace*” <http://www.ctaa.org/ntrc/atj/toolkit>

Executive Order on Human Service Transportation Coordination:  
<http://www.whitehouse.gov/news/releases/2004/02/20040224-9.html>

US General Accounting Office (GAO) report to Congressional Committees, October 1999: “*Transportation Coordination: Benefits and Barriers Exist, and Planning Efforts Progress Slowly*”: <http://www.gao.gov/archive/2000/rc00001.pdf>

US GAO report to Congressional Committees, June 2003: “*Transportation – Disadvantaged Population: Some coordination efforts among programs providing transportation services, but obstacles persist*”:  
<http://www.gao.gov/new.items/d03697.pdf>

USDOT Federal Highway Administration: “*Regional Transportation Operations Collaboration and Coordination – A Primer for working together to improve transportation safety, reliability, and security*”  
[http://www.its.dot.gov/JPODOCS/REPTS\\_TE/13686.html](http://www.its.dot.gov/JPODOCS/REPTS_TE/13686.html)

Texas – Gulf Coast Coordinated Transportation Project:  
<http://www.gcmhmr.com/p6579.htm>

Texas Health and Human Service Commission- “*Health and Human Services Transportation Coordination Plan*”:  
[http://www.hhsc.state.tx.us/octs/reports/2002\\_TransRpt/2002\\_rpt.html](http://www.hhsc.state.tx.us/octs/reports/2002_TransRpt/2002_rpt.html)

Council of State Governments Center for Agriculture and Rural Development conducted a 50-state survey of state programs to coordinate the rural public and specialized transportation programs  
[http://www.osti.gov/energycitations/product.biblio.jsp?osti\\_id=5804643](http://www.osti.gov/energycitations/product.biblio.jsp?osti_id=5804643)

A survey of Head Start and Senior Center Transportation providers regarding coordination: <http://www.unm.edu/~atr/Moving-Forward-7.pdf>

Federal Transit Administration (FTA) “*Planning Guidelines for Coordinated State and Local Specialized Transportation Services*”:  
<http://www.fta.dot.gov/library/policy/guide/index.html>

North Carolina DOT study: “*Head Start Transportation not yet a Full Participant in Coordinated Transportation*”: <http://www.fta.dot.gov/library/policy/guide/index.html>

Welfare Information Network: “*Transportation and Welfare Reform*”:  
<http://www.welfareinfo.org/transita.htm>

## **Federal and State Coordination Activities**

Arkansas Transportation Coordination Round Table:

<http://www.state.ar.us/dhs/NewDHS/TransCoord.htm>

California Association for Coordinated Transportation <http://calact.org>

Federal Coordinating Council on Access and Mobility – United we Ride

[http://www.fta.dot.gov/ccam/united\\_we Ride.html](http://www.fta.dot.gov/ccam/united_we Ride.html)

FTA Administrator Jennifer Dorn’s statement to Congress on Coordinated

Transportation, May 2003: <http://www.fta.dot.gov/library/policy/guide/index.html>

Florida Association of Coordinated Transportation Systems (FACTS); <http://flafacts.com/>

State of Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged (CTD)

<http://www.dot.state.fl.us/ctd/>

State of Georgia – Transportation Coordination

<http://www.dhr.state.ga.us/Departments/dhr/factran.html>

Massachusetts Rehabilitative Commission, Human Services Transportation Initiative:

<http://www.mouseantics.com/transportation/HST.htm>

New Jersey Transportation Coordination Planning

<http://www.state.nj.us/transportation/workforce/PLANNING.HTM>

Ohio – Holmes County Transportation Coordination Program: [http://www.holmes-](http://www.holmes-county.com/gov/transportation_coordination.htm)

[county.com/gov/transportation\\_coordination.htm](http://www.holmes-county.com/gov/transportation_coordination.htm)

Ohio – Licking County Area Transportation Study – Social Service Transportation

Coordination: [http://www.lcats.org/public\\_transportation/social\\_service/default.asp](http://www.lcats.org/public_transportation/social_service/default.asp)

Ohio Statewide Transportation Coordination Task Force:

[http://www.dot.state.oh.us/ptrans/PDF\\_FILES/Coord\\_Brf/c\\_brfl.pdf](http://www.dot.state.oh.us/ptrans/PDF_FILES/Coord_Brf/c_brfl.pdf)

Oregon Transportation Coordination Initiative:

<http://www.odot.state.or.us/pubtrans/coordination.html>

Washington State Agency Council on Coordinated Transportation:

<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/acct/default.htm>

## Technical Assistance Resources

Meeting after school transportation needs <http://afterschool.gov/cgi-bin/h/home.pl>

Surface Transportation Policy Project (STPP) - The Surface Transportation Policy Project is a diverse, nationwide coalition working to ensure safer communities and smarter transportation choices that enhance the economy, improve public health, promote social equity, and protect the environment. STPP is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization funded by individual donations and a range of national and regional foundations. – <http://www.transact.org>

Transportation Cooperative Research Program (TCRP) The mobility, environmental, and energy objectives of a growing population and economy calls for public transportation systems in the United States to expand their services and improve their efficiency. Practical research that yields near-term results can do much to help – by solving operational problems, adopting useful technologies from related industries and, in general, finding ways for the public transportation industry to innovate. The Transit Cooperative Research Program is a key instrument for carrying out such useful research. The program places primary emphasis on putting the results in the hands of organizations and individuals that can use them to solve problems. <http://www.tcrponline.org>

The Transportation Research Board (TRB) is a division of the National Research Council, which serves as an independent adviser to the federal government and others on scientific and technical questions of national importance. The National Research Council is jointly administered by the National Academy of Sciences, the National Academy of Engineering, and the Institute of Medicine. The mission of the Transportation Research Board—one of six major divisions of the National Research Council—is to promote innovation and progress in transportation through research. In an objective and interdisciplinary setting, the Board facilitates the sharing of information on transportation practice and policy by researchers and practitioners; stimulates research and offers research management services that promote technical excellence; provides expert advice on transportation policy and programs; and disseminates research results broadly and encourages their implementation. <http://www.trb.org>

Community Transportation Association of America (CTAA) is a national, professional membership association of organizations and individuals committed to removing barriers to isolation and to improving mobility for all people. CTAA conducts research, provides technical assistance, offers educational programs and serves as an advocate in order to make coordinated community transportation available, affordable and accessible. <http://www.ctaa.org>

USDOT Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) Transportation Service Coordination Program. The Transportation Service Coordination development track focuses on the availability to increase transportation access services for those who are mobility impaired through transit/paratransit system management and the referral of mobility impaired people to appropriate transportation services. <http://www.gcmhmr.com/p6579.htm>

Easter Seals Project Action, funded through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Transportation Administration, promotes cooperation between the transportation industry and the disability community to increase mobility for people with disabilities under the ADA and beyond. It offers various resources, as well as training and technical assistance, in an effort to make the ADA work for everyone, everyday.

[http://projectaction.easterseals.com/site/PageServer?pagename=ESPA\\_homepage](http://projectaction.easterseals.com/site/PageServer?pagename=ESPA_homepage)